

Master's Thesis Oponent's Expert Opinion

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 Title of Master's Thesis: Process of Foreign Immigration in Czech Republic and its Regional Economic Aspects
 Aim of the Thesis: to explore foreign immigrants position in the context of migration theories and their economic activity and its influence on the labour market within Czech economy
 Thesis Supervisor: prof. Ing. Jaroslav Macháček, CSc.
 Study Programme: RDG
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Difficulty of the Topic

	Excellent	Very good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Cannot be evaluated
Theoretical knowledge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Input data and their processing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Methods used	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Thesis Evaluation Criteria

	Excellent	Very good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Cannot be evaluated
Degree of achievement of the aim of the thesis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Original attitude to the topic processing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adequacy of the methods used	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Depth of analysis (relative to topic)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Logical structure of the thesis and scope	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Working with Czech and foreign literature including citations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Formal arrangement of the thesis (text, charts, tables)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Language level (style, grammar, terminology)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Applicability of the Results of the Thesis

	High	Medium	Low	Cannot be evaluated
For theory	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
For practice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other Comments on the Thesis

The aim of this research is to explore foreign immigrants position in the context of migration theories and their economic activity and its influence on the labour market within Czech economy.

I have some reservations:

- a) methodology of this thesis is very weak. It is not easy to identify a methodological framework for research. In Chapter 2, the author should have described the procedure and methods more carefully. This is the weakness of the thesis.
- b) Chapter 3 works with primary data from the CSO, it is rather descriptive characteristics, without added value from author of this thesis.
- c) I consider the fulfilment of the objective problematic; in my opinion, the influence of migration on the selected output variable has not been proven;
- d) there is no complete analysis corresponding to migration theories as outlined in the master thesis assignment
- e) I have significant reservations about the formal elaboration of this thesis. The text is full of mistakes, formal and format deficiencies. Likewise, I do not like the use of graphs made in the Czech language. There are also serious errors in references.

Questions and Suggestions for Defence

The aim of your thesis was to explain the situation of foreign migrants in the context of migration theories. Please, please explain this in the defence speech.

Final Evaluation

I **recommend** the thesis for the defence.

I propose to grade this Master's thesis as follows: **E**

In Pardubice 16.5.2019

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